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Dear Examiner:

In response to the Office Action of May 4, 2006, please consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. As July 4, 2006 is a Federal Holiday, a response to provoke an Advisory Action is considered timely up to and including July 5, 2006.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

*Remarks/Arguments* begin on page 2.